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To: [Perkins](#)  
[Erin](#)  
CC:  
Date: 11/12/2014 9:42:00 AM  
Subject: RE: McNulty Gulch, Climax Mine -- Waste Treatment System Exemption Issue

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Would you please?

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**From:** Perkins, Erin  
**Sent:** Friday, November 07, 2014 8:11 AM  
**To:** Hamilton, Karen  
**Subject:** Re: McNulty Gulch, Climax Mine -- Waste Treatment System Exemption Issue

Thanks - do you want me to set up meeting with OW/OGC?

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**From:** Hamilton, Karen  
**Sent:** Friday, November 7, 2014 8:08 AM  
**To:** Perkins, Erin  
**Subject:** Fwd: McNulty Gulch, Climax Mine -- Waste Treatment System Exemption Issue

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Tiny keyboard! Please forgive terse replies and misspellings.

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Kaiser, Russell" <[Kaiser.Russell@epa.gov](mailto:Kaiser.Russell@epa.gov)>  
**To:** "Hamilton, Karen" <[Hamilton.Karen@epa.gov](mailto:Hamilton.Karen@epa.gov)>

Cc: "Downing, Donna" <[Downing.Donna@epa.gov](mailto:Downing.Donna@epa.gov)>

**Subject: FW: McNulty Gulch, Climax Mine -- Waste Treatment System Exemption Issue**

Pls let us know when the meeting is scheduled for.. Donna & I would be very interested...

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From: Hamilton, Karen  
Sent: Wednesday, November 05, 2014 12:31 PM  
To: Downing, Donna; Kaiser, Russell; Hunter, Christopher  
Cc: Pendergast, Jim  
Subject: FW: McNulty Gulch, Climax Mine -- Waste Treatment System Exemption Issue  
Importance: High

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From: Perkins, Erin  
Sent: Wednesday, November 05, 2014 10:22 AM  
To: Wade, Alexis  
Cc: Hamilton, Karen  
Subject: FW: McNulty Gulch, Climax Mine -- Waste Treatment System  
Importance: High

Hi Alexis –

I wanted to give you the heads up that R8 will be scheduling a meeting for next week with OGC and OW regarding the Climax mine and the waste treatment exclusion. I think you were on a call a while ago regarding this mine. We and the Corps met with the mine on Oct. 6 and the mine subsequently sent the following letter and attachments. So far, we are on the same page generally with the Corps on the JD. (b) (5) - Deliberative, (b) (5) - Attorney-Client

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Please let me know if you have any questions – we're hoping for the end of next week to meet with you and OW. We meet with the Corps on Nov. 19 to discuss our thinking.

Thanks,

Erin

From: Hamilton, Karen  
Sent: Monday, October 20, 2014 2:26 PM  
To: Perkins, Erin  
Subject: FW: McNulty Gulch, Climax Mine -- Waste Treatment System  
Importance: High

From: Graff, Karen M. [[mailto:Karen\\_Graff@FMI.com](mailto:Karen_Graff@FMI.com)]  
Sent: Monday, October 20, 2014 1:55 PM  
To: Hamilton, Karen; [lesley.a.mcwhirter@usace.army.mil](mailto:lesley.a.mcwhirter@usace.army.mil) <<mailto:lesley.a.mcwhirter@usace.army.mil>>  
Cc: Ott, Toney; Deely, Sheila H.  
Subject: McNulty Gulch, Climax Mine -- Waste Treatment System  
Importance: High

SENT ON BEHALF OF RAY LAZUK

Hello Karen and Lesley:

As we discussed at our October 6 meeting, we are providing the regulatory ELG and permitting material that we referenced as part of our presentation at the meeting. We would be happy to address any questions that remain, and would very much appreciate the opportunity to discuss your conclusions in a meeting or teleconference following your review of this material.

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